

Senate File 2160 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act authorizing the modification of the designation of a
2 gaming enforcement officer.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 80.26 Designation by department of
2 administrative services.

3 Notwithstanding the use of the designations "*enforcement*
4 *officer*", "*officer*", "*gaming enforcement officer*", and "*special*
5 *agent*" in this chapter and chapters 97A, 97B, 99D, and 99F,
6 nothing shall prohibit the department of administrative
7 services from officially designating gaming enforcement
8 officers or special agents by another class title for purposes
9 of identifying job classifications. Any official class
10 title designation made by the department of administrative
11 services shall not create or establish any new employee rights
12 with respect to promotional opportunities, compensation, or
13 benefits, or establish any connection that does not exist as
14 of July 1, 2010, between the designation of gaming enforcement
15 officer and any existing job classifications, including special
16 agents, as a result of a change in designation.

17 Sec. 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT — CONSTRUCTION.

18 1. It is the intent of the general assembly that any change
19 in class title designation pursuant to this Act shall not
20 modify the existing job classification or duties for a gaming
21 enforcement officer. The general assembly reaffirms that
22 changes to existing compensation levels should be determined
23 by the collective bargaining process and not determined by a
24 change in employee designation as authorized by this Act.

25 2. Any change to the class title designation by the
26 department of administrative services relating to gaming
27 enforcement officers pursuant to this Act shall be construed as
28 a nonsubstantive change.

29 EXPLANATION

30 This bill relates to the designation of a gaming enforcement
31 officer.

32 The bill authorizes the department of administrative
33 services to change the class title designation of a "gaming
34 enforcement officer". The bill provides that the change in
35 designation shall not create or establish new employee rights

1 with respect to promotional opportunities, compensation, or
2 benefits, or establish any connection that does not already
3 exist as of July 1, 2010, between the designation of gaming
4 enforcement officer and any existing job classifications
5 including special agents. The bill also provides that it
6 is the intent of the general assembly that the change in
7 designation is for official designation purposes only and shall
8 not modify the existing job classification or duties for a
9 gaming enforcement officer as of July 1, 2010.